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- 10. (Secret JGO) Talked to Mr. George Berdes, National Security Policy and Scientific Developments Subcommittee staff, and confirmed with him the meeting for 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, 9 May 1972, Room 2200 Rayburn House Office Building for updating the information previously provided the Subcommittee on Soviet strategic weapons systems. See Journal of 26 April 1972. Mr. Duckett, DDS&T, has been advised.
- (Secret JGO) Met with Mr. Norman Cornish, Foreign Operations 11. and Government Information Subcommittee staff, in response to his call of Thursday evening concerning the Chairman's request for Agency testimony on the Freedom of Information Act and Executive Order 11652. See Memo for Record.
- 12. (Internal Use Only JGO) Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, House Armed Services Committee staff, and reviewed with him Chairman Moorhead's letter to the Director requesting a witness to give testimony to the Freedom of Information Act exemption of classified information and Executive Order 11652 concerning classification. See Memorandum for the Record.
- 13. (Secret JGO) Met with Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and delivered a letter from the Director to the Chairman concerning withdrawal from reserves. I briefed him orally on the purpose of the withdrawal. I also gave Preston a copy of the Director's book on the community budget for his review. Preston told me that he is scheduling Tuesday, 16 May, for the Director's briefing on the community budget. The single control feature on this date will be the availability of the Chairman. As he sees it now, the Chairman will be available. He will not be able to schedule the Agency budget briefing within the following several days, however. The Agency briefing will be the next in line with the special group but will have to await the availability of Chairman Mahon. Preston confirmed the visit to Headquarters, Friday, 10:00 a.m., for briefing and luncheon. Messrs. Tweedy, D/DCI/IC, and Briggs, OPPB, have been advised.
- (Confidential JGO) Met briefly with Mr. William Hogan, House Armed Services Committee staff, who told me that Chairman Nedzi is awaiting the completion of the full Committee markup of the Defense bill before scheduling the Agency briefing on classification and Executive Order 11652. Mr. Hogan expects he will have some definite information before the end of the week.